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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 31, 2002, Applicants request reconsideration based on the following amendments and remarks. Applicants believe no additional fees are due for this response, however, if fees are due, please charge Deposit Account No. 081930.